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NOTICE TO ALL LICENSED DISTRIBUTORS AND WHOLESALERS

RE: Non-Removal of Procesadora Nacional Cigarrillera S.A.

This Notice is being provided to you pursuant to Revenue and Taxation Code section 30165.1, subdivision (c)(3)(F).

The Attorney General's Office has notified Procesadora Nacional Cigarrillera S.A. ("PRONALCI") that it has **declined** to recommend to the Attorney General that PRONALCI and its brand families be removed from the California Tobacco Directory.

Distributor and Wholesaler Responsibilities

Within seven (7) days from the date of this Notice, you must provide each of your existing customers with a copy of this Notice. (Rev. & Tax. Code, § 30165.1, subd. (c)(3)(F).) The previously-imposed purchase, stamping, and sales restrictions imposed by Revenue and Taxation Code section 30165.1, subdivision (c)(3)(B) shall have no further effect.

Questions About This Notice

Thank you for your cooperation. Please send inquiries to:

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